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| In re application of: |) | |
| Zoeckler, Michael D. |) | Group Art Unit: 3721 |
| Serial No.: 09/818,023 ✓ |) | Examiner: Harmon, C.R. |
| Filed: March 27, 2001 |) | Docket No.: R029 1057/. |
| For: Paperboard Cartons with |) | 7137 CIP1 |
| Laminated Reinforcing Ribbons |) | |
| And Transitioned Scores and |) | |
| Method of Making Same |) | |

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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 4, 2003, please amend the subject application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please substitute the following amended claims 1, 11, and 33 for claims 1, 11, and 33 as currently pending. A copy of these claims showing the changes made thereto, including additions being shown with underlining and deletions being shown within brackets, is attached as an appendix herewith.

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1. (Amended) A method of making reinforced paperboard cartons comprising
the steps of: